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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PFOR, TW, BE  
SUBJECT: ROC'S UNOFFICIAL RELATIONS

REF: STATE 31454

FOREIGN MINISTRY'S DIRECTOR OF FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS (STEYAERT) TOLD US THAT THERE EXISTED IN BELGIUM NUMBER OF "PRIVATE" TAIWANESE ORGANIZATIONS BUT THESE ORGANIZATIONS HAD NO RELATIONS, UNOFFICIAL OR OTHERWISE, WITH BELGIAN GOVERNMENT. THE ORGANIZATIONS ARE "TWO OR THREE" TRADING COMPANIES AND A CULTURAL CENTER. HE SAID TRADING COMPANIES, USUALLY DIRECTED BY BELGIAN CITIZENS OF CHINESE ORIGIN, WERE DEVOTED TO PURELY COMMERCIAL PURSUITS. THE CULTURAL CENTER, "CENTRE SUN YAT SEN," PROVIDED ROUTINE CULTURAL PRESENTATIONS  
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AND TO THE BEST OF HIS INFORMATION, WAS INVOLVED IN NO WIDER ACTIVITIES. STEYAERT SAID CENTER FORMERLY WAS CALLED "CHINESE CULTURAL CENTER" BUT FOREIGN MINISTRY REQUESTED THAT THEY CEASE USING "CHINESE" IN ORGANIZATION TITLE AT THE REQUEST OF THE PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA. RENNER

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